

watching billy collins

give eddy shelton
a hunting knife
w/a handle wrapped
in black masking
tape not to beat
him up shelton
stood there hefting
the knife for
balance & feel
& started passing
it back & forth
between his hands
the way buzz did
in rebel w/out
a cause then he
glanced over at me
& sd it's a piece
of shit isn't it
i nodded yes
collins sd it's all
i got shelton
touched collins'
t shirt w/the knife
point just about
where his heart wd
be & sd yeah